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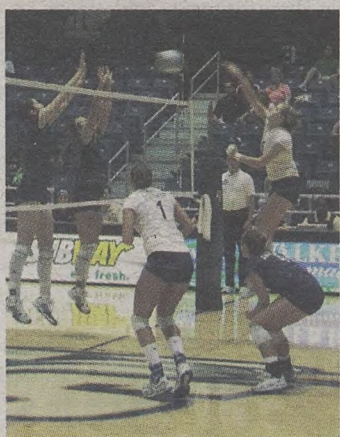
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Charles Minshew/STAFF

Several cars waited at the pumps at Murphy USA off of Brannen on Friday after gas prices shot up from the mid \$3 range to approximately \$4.19 a gallon overnight. This surge has largely been credited to projected refinery closures expected this week.

## Hurricane Ike hikes gasoline prices

By Charles Minshew

Features editor

Statesboro residents flocked to the gas pumps over the weekend over concerns of fuel shortages as a result of closed refineries in the path of Hurricane Ike.

What they found when they got there though, were high prices and long lines at the pump.

A gallon of regular unleaded gas could be purchased for around \$3.58 on Thursday night. By Friday afternoon, however, the same gallon of gas was \$4.09. The price was even

higher on Saturday: \$4.19.

On Friday afternoon shortly after 3 p.m., over 20 cars waited to purchase gasoline at Murphy USA on Brannen Street. Later, the same station posted signs informing customers that there was regular unleaded fuel only.

"In another six to seven days, gas prices should be back to normal," Gregg Laskosi, Managing Director of Public Relations for AAA Autoclub South said on Friday.

According to Laskosi, the average price for a gallon of regular unleaded gasoline in the Savannah area was \$3.71 on Friday, up three cents

from the day before. He attributed the spike in gas prices to wholesale distributors.

"The wholesale price in the Gulf Coast went up significantly," Laskosi said. He added that the price increase was due to these wholesalers having to pass the increased cost to retailers, which are then passed to the consumer.

Also on Friday, Governor Sonny Perdue declared a state of emergency for the entire state, allowing various pricing laws to go into effect.

According to information from the

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## Henderson library nears completion

By Charles Minshew

Features editor

The Zach S. Henderson Library will turn another page in its chapter on expansion Monday when the renovated building opens to the public at noon.

Ann Hamilton, the Associate Dean of the Library & Associate University Librarian, said that the transition will happen with as little interruption as possible, calling it a "soft opening," meaning that there is still some work to be done.

She added that printers and some equipment will be moved in the hours before the opening.

"We did our best to be as non-invasive as we could," Hamilton said. "We have never shut down the library completely due to construction."

Hamilton said that the library expansion has been at least 16 years in the making. It wasn't until 1998 that acting GSU President Harry Carter presented the project to the Board of Regents for it to be placed before the Georgia Legislature.

The ground was then broken on the expansion project in June 2004. The addition was built and opened to the public before the original building was closed for renovation. It is this part of the building that will be opening to the public Monday.

Throughout the entire project, books have been stored in the Automated Retrieval Collection and at a warehouse off campus while

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## Three-Day Forecast



**Monday**  
Partly Cloudy  
92 / 70



**Tuesday**  
Thunderstorms  
85 / 67



**Wednesday**  
Rain  
81 / 65



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# GAS

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Governor's Office of Consumer Affairs, these measures are taken to prevent price gouging and to protect the economy.

The release also said that violators can be fined between \$2,000 and \$25,000 per violation of the law.

If a retailer can prove that the "price accurately reflects an increase in the cost of goods or services" they will not be fined.

As of Friday, NYMEX crude oil futures were

hovering at \$100 a barrel for delivery in October. That's a stark contrast from approximately \$150, which was the price of a barrel of oil during the months of June and July.

"Things are very stable," Laskosi said. "If Wall Street and Oil futures traders were concerned, prices would be higher."

Georgiagasprices.com, which relies on user input for local prices, indicates that in the past 48 hours that regular unleaded gas prices range as low as \$3.99 all the way up to \$4.49.

"Everybody needs to go around conducting business as normal," Laskosi said. "There's no shortage of gasoline."

# LIBRARY

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various faculty and staff members have been spread across campus. On September 22, all the books and employees will begin to make their return to the library.

"Every department within the library except for access services have moved at least two times," Hamilton said. "The big thing for our employees is that many departments have been out of the building for four and three quarters years."

According to Hamilton, the closeout for construction is scheduled for September 30. All furniture, books and equipment will be in their final places by January of 2009, which is when the entire project will be complete. Also moving to the Library will be the Center for Excellence in Teaching.

Hamilton said that the moves of critical collections will happen the weekend before opening and that everything will be open on Monday. She explained most of the thinking behind the design of the library by saying that libraries are now built for their users and not just the information that they hold.

With the whole building being open on September 22, there will be many noticeable changes for students.

New furniture is abundant in the building with more flexibility. The new pieces will include rolling chairs and "crush can" seats.

At the lobby entrance from the pedestrian, any person entering the library will not be able

to go through the glass doors past the main staircase to gain entrance to the classrooms there. In order to get to the first floor, you must first enter the second floor.

Hamilton said that the stacks, the books that are readily available on shelf for check out, will still be moving to their new locations during and after the opening on September 22. A-J stacks will be on the 4th floor while K-Z collections will be on the 3rd floor.

"All services and a majority of faculty and staff will be on the 2nd floor," Hamilton said, referring to faculty offices as well as the circulation and reference desks.

Information services, such as government documents, will be on the 1st floor and special collections will be housed on the 4th floor.

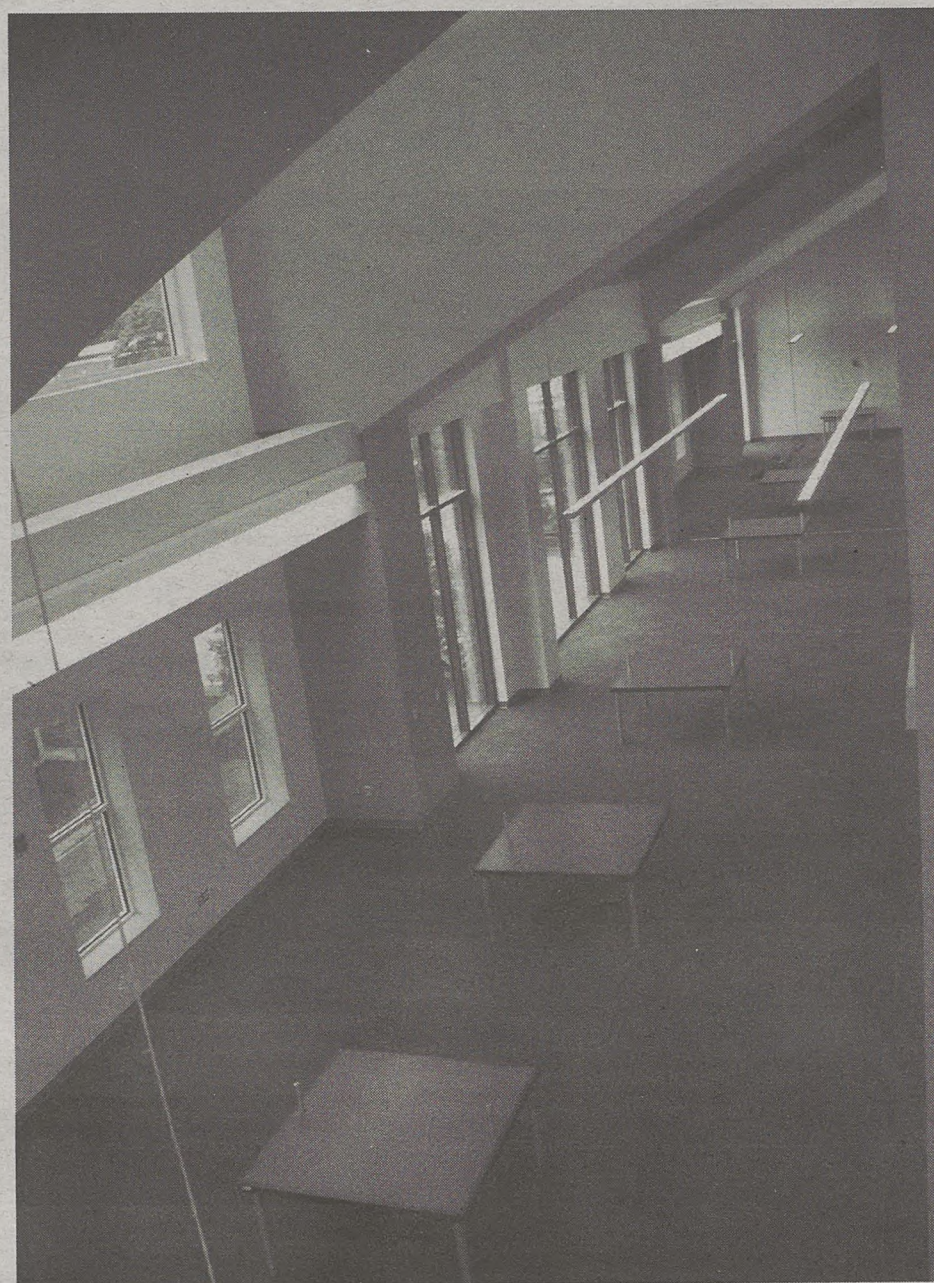
In the original Henderson Library, there were only eight study rooms available for student use.

According to Hamilton, there are now 29 study rooms with three available for graduate students. Access to study rooms for library users with disabilities will also be available.

The facility will be more than doubling their seating capacity, going from 900 seats to 1,900 while also providing more than 300 computer work stations.

Students will also be able to check out projectors to use for small group presentation practices in one of the commons area as well as a practice presentation room on the first floor.

The Lorimer Reading Room, which was open in the original building, has also been restored



Laura Pallini/STAFF

After the newly renovated section of Henderson Library is open later this month, the seating will be increased over two-fold from 900 to 1,900 places. The expansion will also leave more open space for computer and work desks.

and will be open to visitors.

According to Hamilton, one of the things that might draw students to the library is the view. With picture windows overlooking Lake Ruby and Wells, there are seating areas that provide an open view to the campus.

On the fourth floor, there are slanted roofs

and balconies that allow visitors to look down on the third floor or see as far as the Nursing/Chemistry Building or the Performing Arts Center.

Hamilton said "I'm very excited and I am looking forward to having our students and faculty to be able to enjoy the facility."



# FREE FOOD

**Georgia Southern University's HILLEL will be holding an information session on Wed. Sept. 17th at 6:00 PM in the Russell Union room 2043.**



## NATIONAL NEWS

## Palin puts gender issues in spotlight

McClatchy News service

John McCain's vice presidential pick, Alaska Gov. Sarah Palin, has given Susan Richards of Charleston, even more to chew over this year.

"Palin has made me perk up. Suddenly, I'm a lot more interested in this race," said Richards, an independent who has voted for Republicans and Democrats in past presidential elections. "I like that McCain chose a woman."

Polls last week indicated many women; particularly white women were leaning to Palin.

Those polls found support for Democrat Barack Obama has fallen among white women.

Meanwhile, white female support for McCain has increased since he named Palin his running mate two weeks ago.

As a result, for the first time, McCain had a narrow lead in national presidential polls.

For politicians, winning women voters is crucial; they are more likely to vote than men.

Nationwide, if Palin is able to persuade independent women to vote Republican, that could

prove decisive for McCain in November.

She is less likely to be a factor in South Carolina. Even before her selection, polls showed McCain had a solid lead here with about 10 percentage points.

Some think Palin could do even more, reigniting a culture war among S.C. women over such issues as abortion and working mothers.

According to a Winthrop University poll conducted in February, 70 percent of S.C. women think abortion should be allowed in some situations.

Palin's quick return to work just days after giving birth earlier this year also is a turnoff to many women, attorney Eleanor Duffy Cleary said.

"Women and men are equal, but that doesn't mean we're the same. We have different roles to play," said Cleary, a Democrat and self-proclaimed feminist who took a year off from work after giving birth.

Many still bridle at the criticism of Palin's juggling act.

## Search and rescue continues in Texas

McClatchy News service

Hurricane Ike flooded thousands of homes, blew out countless windows and left millions without electricity in Texas and Louisiana Saturday as authorities took to boats and helicopters to help rescue people stranded by the rising water.

The storm claimed at least two lives in Texas after rumbling ashore in Galveston categorized as a 110-mph Category 2 cyclone.

Officials said the death toll could rise in the coming days, and damage cleanup will likely take six months or longer.

"Most fatalities come after a storm," said R. David Paulison, head of the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

"Don't get impatient. Don't go out too early," Paulison said.

Galveston Beach Patrol officers pulled Victor Huerta and Cecilia Rivera out of their flooded home in West Galveston Saturday afternoon.

"We lost everything," Rivera cried from the

rescue boat.

The couple chose not to evacuate, thinking the storm would not be as bad as predicted.

But they found themselves fleeing to the attic when water rushed into the house and rose seven feet up the walls.

Angie Wright, 49, spent Friday night at a hurricane shelter with her pit bull-boxer mix and tried to return to her Galveston neighborhood Saturday.

She appeared disoriented, wearing socks but no shoes as she waded through floodwater and considered aloud where she would go.

"The unfortunate truth is we're going to have to go in and put our people in the tough situation to save people who did not choose wisely," said Andrew Barlow, a spokesman for Texas Gov. Rick Perry.

Perry mobilized 7,500 National Guard troops and Coast Guard helicopters searched for victims, and Houston Mayor Bill White said firefighters and police officers started responding to emergencies as soon as they came in.

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# OPINIONS

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### OUR VIEW

## Constitution Day is a reminder of rights

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances—First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

It is often the case that as time passes, we tend to put events in the back of our minds, if not forget altogether.

It is hard to judge exactly how the modern age has morphed around this amendment. Abounding are lawsuits involving speech and where the "bounds" of this freedom are. The Internet and its forums have caused a mess of issues involving what is appropriate to leave upon a board. This, in turn, is an expansion of the older debate about what the First Amendment should protect, and what it shouldn't.

If you have attended Georgia Southern for more than a semester, then you have

seen people who advocate views colored by a fundamentalist interpretation of the Bible. Often, students will either walk or drive by these people, ignoring them, talking about them, or even engaging them in verbal combat that sometimes leads into a physical confrontation. In fact, if you were in the area of Landrum on Sunday afternoon, you may have encountered such a group.

At times like these, it is easy to wish that these people would simply be quiet, or at least go somewhere else. Having those people on campus, however, should be a comforting symbol of the radical and democratic spirit of the United States Constitution.

Freedom of speech is the bedrock of a true college education. Without it, learning would be severely diluted. The learning we mean here is not the learning that takes place in a classroom. It is the experience that should be occurring every day when you walk across campus and encounter groups of fellow students who may be fighting for

a variety of causes. Whether it is campaigning for a particular candidate for political office, or on behalf of the people of Darfur, student groups expose their fellow students to the rest of the world. Without the right to freedom of speech, none of this would ever happen, and a university would be a much duller place.

Not using the First Amendment, for fear of not being heard or for fear of being punished, is as bad as having that right taken away. While discretion is always a wise course of action when making your voice heard, this should never be used as an excuse to simply stay quiet.

Rejoice in the right to speak your mind by doing it every day. The Founding Fathers, not to mention the greater university community, will thank you for doing it. All the issues and all the people who do not have a voice will also be in your debt.

(Constitution Day will be celebrated at GSU on Wednesday, Sept. 17th.)

## Parking tickets add up to startling numbers

Every morning at eight thirty, I pull into lot 32 and slowly begin the process of hyping myself up for classes.

As I load my books into my book bag, I take a moment to scan the parking lot and see just how many unsuspecting students are going to have a nice little surprise from the Parking and Transportation office when they return to their vehicles.

To my surprise, the number is always quite high.

The most common problem I witness deals with students parking in carpool lanes without a proper window decal. Another escalating problem I notice is that students park in my lot illegally.

Since the first day of classes, I wondered how much revenue the Parking and Transportation office made from students and faculty each year on parking violations. As I left class Friday, I decided to go back to my apartment and engage myself in some investigative research.

Two hours and a very thin patience later, I found what I was looking for. I had finally found the parking records from the 2005 and 2006 fiscal year (I was unable to find any more recent records).

Upon scanning the page, I hit the jackpot.

If I told you that Georgia Southern University issues almost a thousand dollars a day in citations, would you believe me?

If I told you that in 2005 and 2006 the Parking and Transportation department issued 70,166 tickets with fines in excess of 1.2 million dollars, you would probably think I was pulling your leg again, wouldn't you?

In fact, it is true. It is all true.

Most importantly, it is all public knowledge.

I understand that Georgia Southern needs to make revenue from parking violations and citations, but this number is just too alarming for me to grasp.

Are students really at fault?

I will let you draw your own conclusion to that idea, but my suggestion to all students is this. If you are late for class, park for free at the stadium and take a bus to the main parts of campus.

It is free, easy to do, and will essentially keep you from becoming upset and complaining to your parents how unfair the world is.

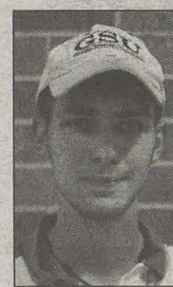
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## No matter what class, they are there

We all know them. Most of you probably at least had one in one of your classes. If so, this person might be one of the main reasons why you don't enjoy or even want to attend said class.



**Matt Mauney** is a senior journalism major from Lilburn, Ga. He is the Managing Editor of Operations for the George-Anne Daily.

I'm talking, of course, about the guy (or girl) that you so often find in your class, that is more annoying than waiting in line at Chick-fil-A for 20 minutes for a chicken biscuit, only to find out that they stopped serving breakfast two minutes prior.

This person has many names and has existed ever since teachers have taught and young minds gathered in an educational setting. They have been known to be called teacher's pets, suck ups, goodie goodies, brown nosers, and many other less than flattering titles.

It's that one or more person(s) that throughout a class period, you will hear his or her voice more than you will the profes-

sor. Some people may confuse this person as a nerd or a brain or maybe just simply the smart kid in class. But I say, nay.

This person isn't that at all, for the smart person will be the one that seldomly talks and rarely asks questions because they already know the answers.

No, this person I speak of may think that they can be classified by these titles but the truth is that they are too smart for their own good. They talk too much, ask too many questions and make the classroom environment unpleasant for everyone around.

This person most likely doesn't even know that he or she is being this way. It is just in their nature to be the most annoying people alive. These people are the reason why some dread going to classes. Sure sometimes teachers can be dull, and sometimes lectures can be even duller, but I don't think there is anything worse than that kid.

If you are still clueless to what or whom I am speaking of, let me do my best to give the stereotypical description of this person.

1. They will most likely always be seated in the front of the classroom and lined up dead center with where the professor stands, if possible.

2. They will constantly interject a lecture with their own insight whether the teacher asked for it or not.

3. At least at one point in the class period, one of the aforementioned interjections will turn into a five to ten minute discussion between that person and the professor (and if your really lucky someone else will interject as well, creating a classroom debate that will quickly turn to a topic totally off base with what the lecture was supposed to be about).

4. Last but not least, they will ask questions, lots and lots of questions. These will be about anything and everything and will often not be relevant one bit to the topic. The professor will spend a good 20 minutes of non-productive class time with this person trying to clear up all the instructions about a class or group project. This is while that person sits at a desk with a handout that clearly defines all the directions.

If you are still confused about the type of person I am speaking of, just keep your eyes and ears open because they are around. If you do understand but totally disagree with this, then maybe... just maybe, you're that person.





Speaker talked about alcohol safety and awareness

Special Photo

## First annual Oksoberfest emphasizes sobriety

By: Quentine Dupree

Guest Writer

Georgia Southern celebrated sobriety through its first Oksoberfest on Thursday.

The event was held at the RAC Pavilion where numerous students were in attendance.

Food, games, music and prizes welcomed the alumni and students who went to the celebration.

Oksoberfest was meant to show GSU students that it is possible to have a great time without the crippling support of alcohol.

Oksoberfest is the brainchild of Joy Hamm, Assistant Dean of Students.

Hamm said " [The best thing about the festival] is that students are learning that they can have fun in a responsible and/or sober way."

La-Shanda Johnson, the Assistant Director of the Office of Health and Promotion, said "Health Services is proud to be a part of Oksoberfest. When departments collaborate we are able to bring more effective alcohol programming to campus."

Throughout the week, numerous events transpired on campus to add momentum to the debut of Oksoberfest.

On Monday, a DUI simulator was presented to the public to show the dangers of drinking and driving.

On Tuesday, there was alcohol awareness noontime trivia and giveaways held at the Russell Union to teach and reward passing students.

The day was finished off with a presentation of the film "When a Man Loves a Woman" in the Russell Union Ballroom.

On Oksoberfest's eve, students were given an opportunity to hear the words of speaker Mike Green.

All of these events were free of charge and open to anyone who wanted to participate.

On Thursday, students gathered to enjoy Oksoberfest. The music selection ranged from Kanye West to Michael Jackson.

A drawing for numerous prizes including the grand prize, an Nintendo Wii, was held.

A moonwalk obstacle course along with other games was in constant use.

## Civil Rights leader Morris Dees to speak at GSU

Compiled by staff

Georgia Southern University will welcome Morris Dees as its Fall Civic Engagement Speaker on Wednesday, Sept. 24, in the Performing Arts Center at 7 p.m. The speech is free and open to the public.

Morris Dees is a civil rights leader who is the co-founder of the Southern Poverty Law Center.

According to his biography on <http://www.splcenter.org/center/history/dees.jsp>, Dees was named one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of America in 1966 by the U. S. Jaycees.

In 1967, Dees began taking controversial cases that were highly unpopular in the white community. He filed suit to stop construction of a white university in an Alabama city that already had a predominantly black state college.

In 1969, he filed suit to integrate the all-white Montgomery YMCA. Out of his commitment, he established the Southern Poverty Law Center.

The SPLC is a non-profit group specializing in lawsuits involving civil rights violations, domestic terrorism, and hate-motivated crimes.

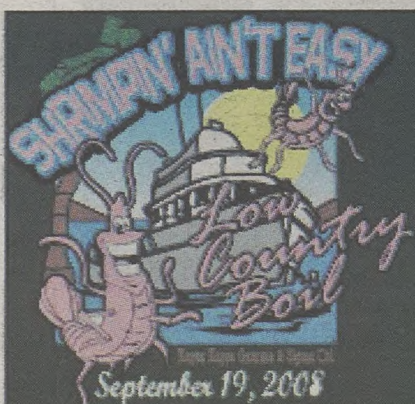
Dees will present his lecture "With Justice for All," in which he discusses how a commitment to justice for all will chart our nation's future as America becomes more diverse and economic disparity widens.

Dees will share his experiences and insights, explaining how and why he sold a lucrative publishing business to become an attorney and then founded the Southern Poverty Law Center.

Dees will also discuss hate crimes across the country and the need for the teaching of tolerance, love, and respect for one another.



Special Photo



## KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA & SIGMA CHI LOW COUNTRY BOIL!

Low Country Boil Friday, September 19th, 2008 from 5pm-7pm,  
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## Political comedians Capital Steps come to GSU

By: Will Douberly

Guest writer

On September 16 at the Performing Arts Center, many of the biggest names in the political arena will be targets for humorous verbal barrage.

At 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, a group by the name of the Capitol Steps will be performing its satirical comedy that focuses on the trivial matters that are often prevalent in the United States' government.

This will be the second appearance by the Capitol Steps at Georgia Southern; the group first performed here during the 2006-2007 school year.

According to the Capitol Steps' official Web site, they have been performing for over 25 years.

They also have 28 records under their belt, including their newest hit, "Campaign and Suffering."

Those performing on Tuesday with the Capitol Steps are Evan Casey, Jenny Corbett, Marc Irwin, Mike Loomis, Jamie Zemarel, and Felicia Curry.

The group members are former Senate staffers, whom, according to their website,

set out to poke fun at the very people who employed them.

They have also appeared on "Entertainment Tonight," "Nightline," and "20/20."

They also toured and spoke on NPR during their "Politics takes a Holiday" special.

PAC Assistant Director Carol Thompson said that potential audience members should not fear an unfair bias against any particular political party; anyone and everyone is fair game.

Perhaps the only group who should anticipate cringing with discomfort is the politicians who are sitting in the crosshairs.

Thompson also mentioned that the Capitol Steps have broad appeal and their shows are appreciated by both the older and younger demographic.

In addition to appealing to a wide range of audiences, the group is known to be notoriously quick in implementing breaking news stories, as well as political news, into the act.

Anyone looking for intelligent entertainment need not look further than the Capitol Steps, who put the mock back in democray.



Special Photo

Members of the group The Capital Steps

### CALENDAR

#### Monday, September 15

Time: 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Event: Academic Success Center

Location: Cone Hall

Time: 12 - 2 p.m.

Event: Just ASC Band

Location: Russell Union Rotunda

Time: 3:30 - 5 p.m.

Event: FYE Success Series

Location: Nessmith Lane Ballroom

Time: 4 - 5 p.m.

Event: Greek Leadership Class

Location: Russell Union 2054

Time: 5 - 7 p.m.

Event: Sparge Workshop

Location: Education Building

Time: 7 - 11 p.m.

Event: Vernon Jones

Location: Russel Union Ballroom A

Time: 8 - 10 p.m.

Event: Treat her like a Lady

Location: Russell Union 2084

#### Tuesday, September 16

Time: 8:30 - 11 a.m.

Event: Advanced Management

Location: Nessmith Lane 2903

Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Event: Resume Writing 101

Location: IT building 1206

Time: 3:30 - 5 p.m.

Event: FYE Success Series

Location: Nessmith Lane Ballroom

Time: 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Event: Dinner for Darfur

Location: Russell Union 2080

Time: 6 - 8 p.m.

Event: What College Men Really Want

Location: Russell Union 2052

Time: 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Event: The Capital Steps

Location: PAC

Time: 8 - 10 p.m.

Event: The Plug

Location: Russell Union Theatre

## AOTT loves our new girls

Allison Lumsden	Diana Dailey	Jillian Edwards	Michelle Wise
Allyse Mullins	Elizabeth Shoer	Kathryn Clower	Nicole Caruso
Amy Anderson	Emily Grubbs	Katie Affenburg	Sarah Beth Stuckey
Annie Poore	Emily Poe	Kelli Rushing	Sarah Egan
Ansley Sellars	Emily Sedgwick	Kelsey Deal	Shelly Reppert
Brooke Bedgood	Hannah Bowles	Kourtney Davis	Veronica Geagan
Caitlin McIntosh	Jacqui Horton	Kristen Sutton	
Casey Newborn	Jenna Heisler	Kristen Ursy	
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640 Resumes/Typing/DTP  
650 Services/Miscellaneous

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**900 Miscellaneous**  
910 Pets & Pet Supplies

## Announcements 100 - 199

### 110 Auditions

We are looking for a drummer and a female vocalist to join our band. You must be willing to play Christian Genre, comprised mostly of Contemporary Christian and Christian Rock. Keyboarding abilities a plus!

### 130 Lost & Found

Lost pink Sony Ericson W580i. REWARD!  
Lost red Canon Camera Powershot SD40. REWARD!  
Contact Kara (770)330-6878.

### 140 Other Announcements

**ARE YOU GREEN?**  
Student Alliance for a Green Earth (SAGE) will be having their first meeting of the year on Wednesday September 3, 2008 at 5:00p.m. in Russell Union Room 2048.

How would you like to adopt an international student? Georgia Southern has over 300 international students on campus who would love to have an adopted/ or host family to show him/her what American family life is like. This just means that the student spends time with you and your family by going to the movies, shopping, out to dinner, or cooking a meal together, etc. If you are interested in becoming a "host" family for an international student at Georgia Southern, please contact Trang Ta at 478-7968 or email [ttal-gw@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:ttal-gw@georgiasouthern.edu). The Center for International Studies is located at Forest Drive Bldg, Ste. 1313.

GSU Men's Basketball is looking for volunteer student managers. Position requires self-discipline, time management and strong work ethic. Great resume and contact builder. Opportunity to advance into paid position in future. Contact Coach Podell at [ep00256@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:ep00256@georgiasouthern.edu) or 732-904-7470.

Have you ever wanted to learn more about the Catholic faith or thought about becoming Catholic? If so, you are invited to attend RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes at St. Matthew Church (Gentilly Road). For more information, please call 681-6726.

## Buy or Sell 200 - 299

### 260 Miscellaneous for Sale

Sofa, Chair, and Footstool- \$85  
Computer Desk - \$40  
Plus... Chairs, Tables, Chest of Drawers, Golf Clubs, and 2 TVs.

Call or stop by 2-5pm T-Th,  
Arv @ 912-764-7421, 104 Peg Wen Blvd- Across from Lowe's

## Employment & Job Services 300 - 399

### 320 Child Care Needed

Part time babysitter needed for my 7mth old daughter. Only needed a few evenings per week and an a few hours on an occasional Saturday. Pay is negotiable. Great job for college student. Contact Natasha at 9126189095 for more info.

Needed: responsible babysitter on as-needed basis to cover childcare during instructor's class times. Will only be needed if child can't go to day care. Also, some evenings/weekends. Please call for information.

### 350 Jobs/Full Time

BARTENDING \$300/Day Potential. No Experience Necessary. Training Provided. 1-800-965-6520 X296.

## Housing & Real Estate 400 - 499

### 410 Apartments

4bedroom 2 bath house off the 301 bypass for \$270 a month plus utilities. looking for a male preferably to move in this semester and take over till next spring or other terms of time are possible.. The house is in a quiet neighborhood, very spacious, and only 10-15 mins from campus!!! Call Alex at 478-714-1706 for details or Chris 478-397-8768

Countryside Villas. Conveniently located near Statesboro/GSU. Approximately seven minutes from campus in a quiet neighborhood just off Cypress Lake Road. Three bedrooms, two bathrooms, fully-equipped eat-in kitchen, living room, dining room, private master suite, private-fenced patio, off-street parking; yard maintenance included. Unit is approximately 1700 square feet of living space. Utilities not included. Call 912-489-0709 for more information. Price: \$925 per month plus \$925 deposit. Contact: Dr. Don Slater  
Email: [dslater@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:dslater@georgiasouthern.edu)

Room for Rent in home off Country Club Rd. Furnished bedroom, quiet neighborhood, close to GSU. \$350/mth includes utilities. Call Ed (912)531-5223

### 440 Real Estate for Sale

3 BR/2BA house for sale on almost full acre lot, located in cul-de-sac of a quiet neighborhood. In ground sprinkler and sod in front yard, vaulted ceilings in LR, small deck in back and porch in front. \$120,000. Call 912-690-4986.

Very nicely renovated condo in stadium walk with new carpet and wood floors for sale or spring semester lease. Very nice place at a truly great deal. Call brad for more info at 912-617-7905.

### 450 Roommates

2 bedrooms for rent, newly renovated, clean house. pref. female. \$375/month. utilities not included. 706-975-9458.

### 480 Sub Leases

Copperbeech Townhouse, fully furnished, four bedroom and 4 1/2 bath. I'm looking for someone to sublease for 375/mo plus utilities. Great DEAL! Great roommates too! SECOND SEMESTER Spring 09

The apartment is located in Bermuda Run, just 2 mins. from GSU. There are many great amenities like walk-in closets & 2 really nice pools. PETS ARE WELCOME! \*The rent is \$425/bedroom or \$850 all together, but we're willing to give you \$70 or \$140 in cash, up front, which would make the rent only \$415/bedroom or \$830 all together\* For more info call 478-213-0101 or 478-952-3268

Num Rooms: 4, Num Baths: 4  
I am looking for someone to take over my lease starting in January until the end of the lease(july). 4b/4b apartment in Campus club at Georgia Southern University. \$390 a month. Currently 3 other clean and courteous guys in the apartment. All attend GSU. Check out this website to view the Apartment Complex: [www.ccstatesboro.com](http://www.ccstatesboro.com) call: 404 791 8508

## Services 600 - 699

### 610 Education & Tutoring

FUN & STUFF Visit our Web site for list of things to do that are educational and fun. <http://www.stp.georgiasouthern.edu/funstuff/>

## Miscellaneous 900 - 999

### 910 Pets & Pet Supplies

Pure-bred chocolate and black lab puppies 7 weeks old. \$100 males, \$50 females with shots. Call 912-682-5039 for more information.

Gateway Animal Hospital has a few good animals looking for good homes. A m/2yr blk/wht pitt mix, neutered, heartworm pos, but treatable. A f/6mo blk lab, spayed. Two f/5mo chow mix. Four f/6wk kittens, FELV/FIV neg. Two tabby cats f/1+yr, spayed. All of these animals are loving and ready for a new home. If interested call Gateway at (912)681-7387 ask for Jessica J. or Kristin.

## Sudoku

★★★★★

4					3			
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	3					9		
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		8			6			
3	5					7		
		1					2	

[brainfreezepuzzles.com](http://brainfreezepuzzles.com)

Rules: Fill in the grid so that each row, column, and 3x3 block contains 1-9 exactly once.

9	2	8	3	5	7	1	6	4
1	4	7	8	6	2	9	3	5
3	5	6	9	4	1	8	2	7
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8	6	1	5	7	9	4	3	2
7	9	4	2	3	8	6	1	5
4	8	9	1	2	5	3	7	6
6	7	2	4	8	3	9	9	1
5	1	3	7	9	6	2	4	8



# Eagles win in overtime 34-27

By Thom Cunningham  
Staff writer

The Georgia Southern Eagles (2-1) defeated the Northeastern Huskies (0-2) in a comeback effort in overtime Saturday night.

Tim Camp recovered a fumble in the first quarter and took it to the end zone for the Eagles' first score.

Two minutes after Northeastern scored their second touchdown, Ohio State transfer Antonio Henton ran the ball one-yard and tied the score 14-14.

"We just had to make big plays," said Henton. "We have a lot of trust on this team starting with the offensive line. You just have to go with the play and trust that your teammates will be there ready to go."

Heading into halftime, the Eagles trailed 24-14.

Another five-yard rushing touchdown by Henton narrowed the lead for Northeastern, making the score 24-21.

Both teams were shutout for most of the fourth quarter, while the Huskies had a 27-21

lead on GSU. With less than 2 minutes left in the game, Northeastern fumbled the ball away to GSU inside the Eagles' 30 yard line.

With 1:01 remaining, Henton threw a laser across the middle of the field to Tim Camp for a 65-yard touchdown.

"We all knew what was at stake during this time," said Henton. "We had to step up and make a play. There was no doubt in our minds that we could win and I thought we Eagle(s) showed great composure."

A blocked PAT after the score sent the game into overtime.

The Eagles started on offense to begin overtime. GSU struck with a 25-yard touchdown run by Antonio Henton.

"That was the point in the game that the leaders needed to step up," said senior receiver Raja Andrews.

GSU defense didn't allow the Huskies to convert on a fourth down situation, which resulted in the comeback victory for the Eagles.

The Eagles begin conference play Saturday when they host Elon at 7:00.

# Eagles volleyball dominate UNC Wilmington and Charleston Southern

By David Williams  
Staff writer

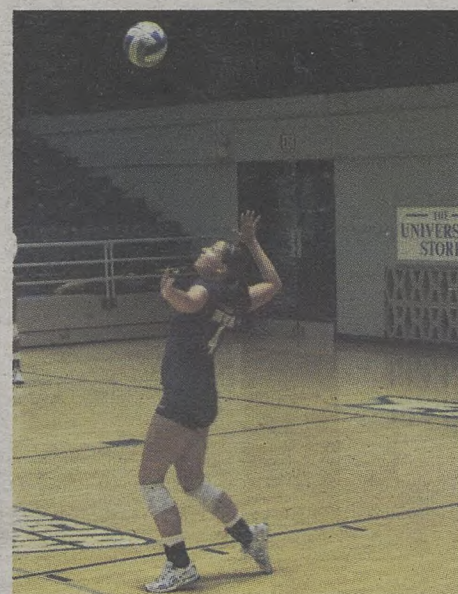
Georgia Southern volleyball hit .297 and .223 respectively against UNC Wilmington and Charleston Southern as they swept both teams 3-0 Friday Sep. 12 at Hanner Fieldhouse for the 'Bash in the Boro.'

GSU improved their record to 5-4 with both victories and ended a three-match losing streak in the process. They have now won both matches in the 'Bash in the Boro' tournament.

GSU held the UNCW Seahawks to a low .086 attack percentage. They also racked up 13 blocks as a team. Michelle Uzoh led the way with eight.

Offensively, freshman Bethany Sanford, led the Eagles with 11 kills and added 12 digs for another double-double. Uzoh also added six kills. In total, nine players tallied at least one kill.

Later that evening, GSU continued its drive, sweeping Charleston Southern 3-0 (25-19, 25-14, 25-19).



Victoria Evans/STAFF

The Eagles went two-for-one at this weekend's 'Bash in the Boro' Volleyball tournament

"I thought that it was a good effort. I thought we came out and established ourselves early, and that is what we had been talking about doing," said GSU head coach Chad Callihan. "We wanted to make an impact in the first 10 points of the game and set the tone for the match, and I thought we did a good job with that."

The Eagles held CSU to under a .100 attack percentage and totaled double digit blocks.

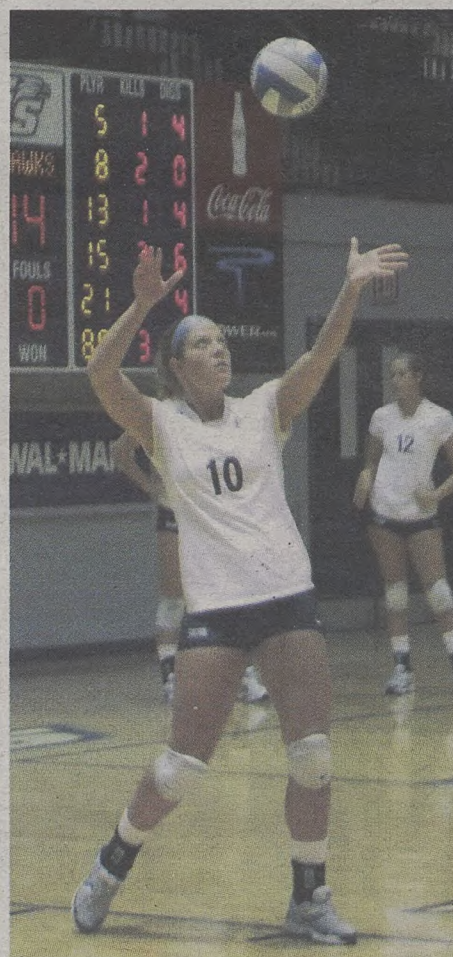
"We did a good job blocking. We did a better job of just picking up our hitters early so there wasn't much guesswork," said Callihan. "Everyone had a nice feel for what their players were going to do. We have been trying to shade ahead of hitters early, and it's starting to benefit us."

Bethany Sanford once again stood out for the Eagles. She accumulated 16 kills and 10 digs for her fifth consecutive double-double.

Sanford totaled 27 kills and 22 digs for the two games.

"I thought we did really well. We tried really hard to stay focused, and if we made a mistake we tried to just shake it off and come back stronger," said Sanford after the match against Charleston Southern.

The Eagle Volleyball team will play again in this weekend's South Florida Tournament in Tampa, Florida.



Victoria Evans/STAFF

## CONSTITUTION DAY

Join us for  
Georgia Southern's  
Constitution Day Celebration

Wednesday, September 17, 2008  
Russell Union Commons  
Beginning at 2 p.m.

National Recital of the Constitutional Preamble  
National Anthem  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Presentation of Contest Winners  
Presentation by Dr. Patrick Novotny  
Shontay Jones, Deputy Registrar Bulloch County

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